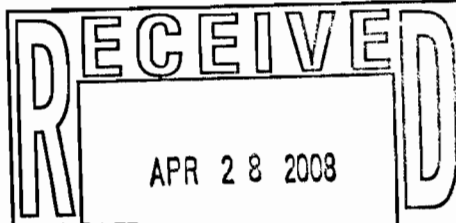


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Re: General Electric Capital Corp. v. New York MEG, L.L.C., et al / 07-9715 **5/15**

Dear Judge Stein:

MEMO ENDORSED

This office represents plaintiff, General Electric Capital Corporation ("GECC"), in the above referenced matter.

Your Honor previously extended the time for plaintiff to effect service on defendant Martin Egli, who resides in Switzerland, to April 30, 2008, and indicated that if more time was required for service that this office should so advise the Court by letter. By this letter, Plaintiff requests an extension of time through May 31, 2008 to serve Mr. Egli.

As Mr. Egli resides in Switzerland, plaintiff must follow the *Hague Convention on the Service Abroad of Judicial and Extra-Judicial Documents in Civil or Commercial Matters* in effecting service. Plaintiff retained Legal Language Services ("LLS"), a division of ALS International, Inc. to effect service, as LLS has experience in such matters.

Given the various procedural hurdles involved in service by diplomatic process, and the requirement that plaintiff must have the complaint and all exhibits thereto translated by a "certified translator", service on Mr. Egli has taken more time than anticipated. We are advised that translation will be finished next week, with service to be accomplished with 4 weeks thereafter. (We are advised that the papers must be processed through the "Central Swiss Authority" which administers such papers). Accordingly, GECC respectfully requests additional time to serve Mr. Egli.

Respectfully submitted,

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SO ORDERED
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SIDNEY H. STEIN
U.S.D.J.